Six House, Inc. is closing the year with our Fourth Annual Christmas Blessing Program.

Each year Six House partners with the Hampton Social Services - Foster Care Division to ensure each foster child receive at least one gift for Christmas. (over 250 children)

We would like to ask the community for help with this event. We have three areas of need.

- 1. The first area is Gift-Wrapping. We will simply be wrapping the gifts that have been donated for the children. The Gift-wrapping sessions will be scheduled for three days: Monday, Dec. 5, Tuesday, Dec. 6, and Wednesday, Dec. 7 from 8 am to 6 pm each day. We ask for donations of gift bags and wrapping paper.
- 2. The second area of need is Mall Sitters. We will have a stand in Coliseum Mall to pass out Christmas Blessing Cards with the children's information on them. Much like the Angle Tree set-up. We ask that participants select a Christmas Blessing Card, purchase a gift and return the unwrapped gift. We will be in the mall November 19 through December 4 from 11:30 am to 7pm each day. We are asking for 1 or 2 hour commitments from individuals.
- 3. The final area is to make a monetary donation or sponsor a child for the program. You can do that by picking up a Six House card that has the name/need of a foster child. Simply pick up a card, buy a gift and return it unwrapped to the Six House by December 5<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds and gifts collected will go toward this event.

The event will take place on Thursday, December 8, 2005 from 6-8pm at the Six House, 2003 Kecoughtan Road, where the foster families will be present to receive the gifts.

For more information, to volunteer or to make a donation please contact Tina Seabron at 244-4460 or <a href="https://www.sixhouse.org">www.sixhouse.org</a>